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- (A) This declaration is for an original application.
- (B) My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below, next to my name. I believe that I am an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter that is claimed, and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled: **EMERICELLA NIDULANS GENOME SEQUENCE AND USES THEREOF.**
- (C) The specification of which was filed on September 23, 1999 as United States Application Number 09/404,520 and identified with Docket No. 04983.0207/38-10(15498)A.

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- (D) I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims.
- (E) I acknowledge the duty to disclose information, which is material to patentability as defined in 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56.

CLAIM FOR BENEFIT OF PRIOR U.S. PROVISIONAL APPLICATION(S)

- (F) I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, § 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

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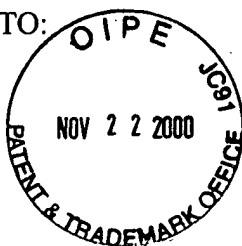
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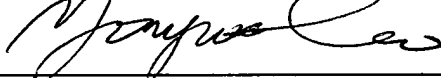
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